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DCI SCHEDULING ITEMDATE RECEIVED: 27 November 1979DATE OF EVENT: Tuesday, 4 Dec 79

1. INFORMATION REGARDING THE APPOINTMENT:

SUSPENSE: 29 November 1979

- a. Source: Tel: 381-5989 Ltr Fm: S. Frederick Starr & Harry
Harding
- b. Type of event: Evening dialogue on "The Future of Sino-Soviet Relations"
- c. Special occasion: 1730 - tea; 1800 - speakers' presentations; 1915- dinner
- d. Date/Time: Tuesday, 4 December 1979
- e. Location: Wilson Center Library, Smithsonian
- f. Significant info: RSVP card attached OR Louise Platt or Cynthia Ely at above
phone no.

2. SCHEDULE:

	<u>3 Dec</u>	<u>4 Dec</u>	<u>5 Dec</u>	<u>6 Dec</u>	<u>7 Dec</u>	
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3. RECOMMENDATIONS:

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4. DCI DECISION:

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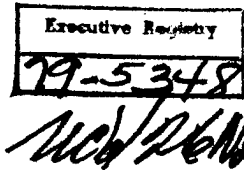
5. AIDE FINAL ACTION:

RSVP card returned, 22 Nov 79

THE WILSON CENTER

JAMES H. BILLINGTON, *Director*

November 16, 1979



Admiral Stansfield Turner
Central Intelligence Agency
Headquarters
McLean, Virginia 20505

Dear Admiral Turner,

We are writing to invite you to an evening dialogue on "The Future of Sino-Soviet Relations," co-sponsored by the Kennan Institute for Advanced Russian Studies and the East Asia Program of The Wilson Center. The discussion will take place on Tuesday evening, December 4, 1979, in the library of The Wilson Center, located on the third floor of the Smithsonian Institution's historic "castle" building. Participants in the discussion, in addition to some of the administrators and Fellows of the Center, will comprise a broadly-based group of policy-makers, legislators, diplomats, academicians, and journalists.

The Sino-Soviet negotiations now underway in Moscow have focused attention on the possibility of an improvement in the relations between Moscow and Peking, and the implications of such a change for the United States. In The Wilson Center's tradition of placing important contemporary developments in a broader context, we have asked four distinguished scholars to summarize the underlying international and domestic determinants of Soviet and Chinese foreign policy and, on that basis, to assess the prospects for change in Sino-Soviet relations. They are: Seweryn Bialer, Director, Research Institute on International Change, Columbia University; Herbert S. Levine, Professor of Economics, University of Pennsylvania; Jonathan D. Pollack, Staff Member, Social Science Department, The RAND Corporation; and Lucian W. Pye, Professor of Political Science, MIT. Each scholar has agreed to prepare a brief outline of his principal theses, which we hope to circulate in advance of the meeting.

The evening will begin with tea at 5:30 p.m. followed by the speakers' presentations at 6:00. After a break for dinner about 7:15, we will continue the discussion until 10:00. Parking will be available on Jefferson Drive or in the parking lot behind the building on Independence Avenue. Please enter the building through the East Door, facing the Capitol, where a guard will direct you to The Wilson Center.

We very much hope that you can join us on December 4 for what promises to be a provocative discussion. In the meantime, we would be grateful if you could respond on the enclosed card, or call Louise Platt or Cynthia Ely at 381-5989.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "S. Frederick Starr".

S. Frederick Starr
Secretary
Kennan Institute for Advanced
Russian Studies

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Harry Harding".

Harry Harding
Coordinator
East Asia Program